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**Treatment of cerebral ischemia or apoplexy, using N-substituted tetrahydro-pyridopyrimidinone or 1,2-benzisothiazoline-1,1-dioxide derivatives having neuroprotective activity**  
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**NOVELTY**  
 The use of 3-(aryl-heterocyclyl-alkyl)-tetrahydro-pyridopyrimidinone or 2-(aryl-heterocyclyl-alkyl)-2,3-dihydro-1,2-benzisothiazoline-1,1-dioxide derivatives (I) for the prophylaxis and therapy of cerebral ischemia or apoplexy is new.

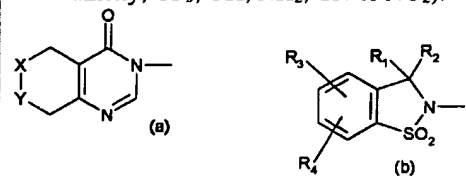
**DETAILED DESCRIPTION**  
 The use of tetrahydro-pyridopyrimidinone or 1,2-benzisothiazole-1,1-dioxide derivatives of formula Het-A-B-Ar (I) or their acid addition salts is claimed for the preparation of medicaments for the prophylaxis and therapy of cerebral ischemia or apoplexy.

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A = 1-10C alkylene; or 2-10C alkylene containing at least one of O, S, cyclopropyl, COO, CHOH, a double bond and a triple bond;  
 B = 4-piperidine, 4-tetrahydro-1,2,3,6-pyridine, 4-piperazine or a corresponding group ring-expanded by one CH<sub>2</sub> group, bonded to A via N;  
 Ar = phenyl (optionally substituted by 1-4C alkyl, 1-6C alkoxy, OH, halo, CF<sub>3</sub>, N(R<sub>2</sub>)<sub>2</sub>, COOR<sub>2</sub>, CN or Ph), tetralin, indane, higher fused aromatics (e.g. naphthalene (optionally substituted by 1-4C alkyl or 1-4C alkoxy) or anthracene) or a 5- or 6-membered aromatic heterocycle (containing 1 or 2 of O and N, and optionally fused with other aromatic residues);  
 Het = tetrahydro-pyridopyrimidinone residue of formula (a) or 1,2-benzisothiazoline-1,1-dioxide residue of formula (b);  
 one of X, Y = CH<sub>2</sub> and the other = NR<sub>9</sub>;  
 R<sub>1</sub>, R<sub>2</sub> = 1-6C alkyl;  
 R<sub>3</sub>, R<sub>4</sub> = H, 1-6C alkyl, OH, 1-6C alkoxy, halo, CF<sub>3</sub>, NR<sub>5</sub>R<sub>6</sub>, COOR<sub>7</sub>, NO<sub>2</sub>, CN, pyrrole or phenyl-(1-4C) alkyl (optionally ring-substituted by halo, 1-4C alkyl, 1-4C alkoxy, CF<sub>3</sub>, OH, NH<sub>2</sub>, CN or NO<sub>2</sub>);

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R<sub>5</sub>, R<sub>6</sub> = H, 1-6C alkyl, C(=O)Ph, COOtBu or 2-5C alkanoyl; or NR<sub>5</sub>R<sub>6</sub> = 5- or 6-membered ring optionally containing a second N, e.g. piperazine;  
 R<sub>7</sub> = H or 1-6C alkyl;  
 R<sub>8</sub> = H or 1-4C alkyl;  
 R<sub>9</sub> = H, 1-6C alkyl, 2-5C alkanoyl, COOtBu, aroyl or phenyl-(1-4C) alkyl (optionally ring-substituted by halo, 1-4C alkyl, 1-4C alkoxy, CF<sub>3</sub>, OH, NH<sub>2</sub>, CN or NO<sub>2</sub>).

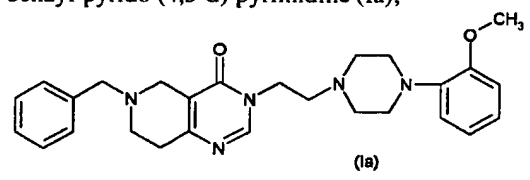


**ACTIVITY**  
 Neuroprotective; cerebroprotective; vasotropic.  
 No examples demonstrating biological activity are given.

**MECHANISM OF ACTION**  
 None given.

**USE**  
 For treating or preventing neurodegeneration, cerebral trauma and cerebral ischemia (especially apoplexy), and the sequelae of these diseases. (I) have neuroprotective action.

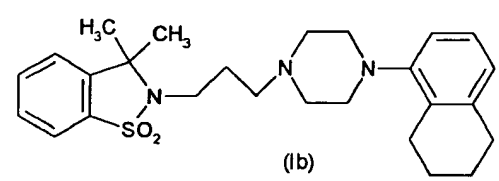
**SPECIFIC COMPOUNDS**  
 566 Compounds (I; Het = (a)) are disclosed, e.g. 3-(2-(4-(2-methoxyphenyl)-1-piperazinyl)-ethyl)-3,5,7,8-tetrahydro-4-oxo-6-benzyl-pyrido (4,3-d) pyrimidine (Ia);



and  
 639 compounds (I; Het = (b)) are disclosed, e.g. 3,3-dimethyl-2-(3-(4-tetralin-5-yl)-piperazin-1-yl)-prop-1-yl)-2,3-dihydro-1,2-benzisothiazoline-1,1-dioxide (Ib).

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**ADMINISTRATION**  
 Daily dose is 1-100 mg/kg orally or 0.1-10 mg/kg parenterally.

**TECHNOLOGY FOCUS**  
 Organic Chemistry - Preparation: (I; Het = (a)) are described as described in DE19747063 and (I; Het = (b)) are described in DE19746612.  
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